

Conservation Tips!



- Turn your computer off when not in use. Much of the energy use associated with computers is wasted because PC's are often left on when not in use
- Unplug cell phone chargers, curling irons, hair dryers, etc. when not in use
- Turn off lights and fans when not in use
- Clean the dryer lint filter after each load
- Make sure furniture, curtains, and rugs don't block the flow of air from vents and air registers
- In the winter, open the curtains and shades to let the sun warm your home naturally
- Set your thermostat a few degrees lower in the winter and higher in the summer
- Keep a bottle of drinking water in the refrigerator. This beats the wasteful habit of running tap water to cool it for drinking
- Shorten your showers. Even a one or two minute reduction can save up to 700 gallons per month



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- Turn off the water while brushing your teeth and shaving. This simple step can save up to three gallons each day
- When washing dishes by hand, use the least amount of detergent possible. This minimizes rinse water needed
- Wash a full load of dishes in the dishwasher
- Take quick showers instead of baths
- Save yourself up to 20 gallons of water by scraping food off your dishes instead of pre-rinsing them
- If you notice your toilet running contact the South Duff office and put a work order in right away! Running toilets waste a bunch of water but also end with a costly utility bill
- Always turn taps off tightly so they do not drip



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